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PRESS RELEASE

Computers for State Agent Licensing Centers

DOVER – State Auditor R. Thomas Wagner, Jr. releases a special investigation of the Division of Fish and Wildlife under the Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control. The Office of Auditor of Accounts was notified of problems with the initiative to automate State Agent Licensing Centers for the sale of hunting and fishing licenses. The investigation identified \$24 thousand in computer equipment purchases that were not put to use in a timely manner in addition to excessive warranties costs of more than \$34 thousand.

A complete copy of the report can be found at <u>DNREC Division of Fish and Wildlife - Computers for</u>
State Agent Licensing Centers Special Investigation Report issued 2/15/2011.

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